

## PMA 3 SHELL HEATER ACTIVATION AND CHECKOUT

### NOTE

This procedure requires 340 W of power.

### 1. CHECK PMA SHELL TEMPERATURES AND CONFIGURE HEATERS

PCS Node1:TCS

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sel PMA 3

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If all PMA3 Htr Temperatures are below 15.5 °C

sel PMA3 Htr Availability

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**cmd** Htr1B Availability - Ena Operate

√Htr1B Availability - Ena Opr

**cmd** Htr3B Availability - Ena Operate

√Htr3B Availability - Ena Opr

**cmd** Htr5B Availability - Ena Operate

√Htr5B Availability - Ena Opr

**cmd** Htr2A Availability - Ena Backup

**cmd** Htr4A Availability - Ena Backup

sel PMA3 TCS Overview

Attention symbols will appear next to all above heaters and associated 'PMA 3 Heater [X] Failed' messages will be entered into advisory log.

Heaters 2A and 4A will cycle to "Enable to Operate" mode and turn on.

√Htr 2A Availability - Ena Opr

√Htr 4A Availability - Ena Opr

Verify PMA3 Htr1B icon energized.

Verify PMA3 Htr2A icon energized.

Verify PMA3 Htr3B icon energized.

Verify PMA3 Htr4A icon energized.

Verify PMA3 Htr5B icon energized.

Otherwise √**MCC-H**

## 2. DEACTIVATE HEATERS

### **On MCC-H GO:**

**cmd** Htr1B Availability - Inhibit

√Htr1B Availability - Inh

**cmd** Htr3B Availability - Inhibit

√Htr3B Availability - Inh

**cmd** Htr5B Availability - Inhibit

√Htr5B Availability - Inh

**cmd** Htr2A Availability - Inhibit

√Htr2A Availability - Inh

**cmd** Htr4A Availability - Inhibit

√Htr4A Availability - Inh

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-- IDENTIFICATION SECTION --  
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Procedure Name: PMA 3 Shell Activation & Checkout  
Applicability: 3A  
Frequency: Highly Desired on 3A.  
Objective : Check PMA3 Shell heater software and hardware.  
Description: This procedure enables heaters 1B, 3B and 5B to operate and enables heaters 2A and 4A to backup. This selection checks one heater in each physical zone and some software functionality.  
  
Crew Required : none (one as MCC-H back-up)  
Power: 340 W  
Data: N1-2 MDM's.  
Duration : 5 minutes  
Location : MCC-H or PCS  
Parts : None  
Materials : None  
Tools: None  
Constraints: None  
Reference Material: NCS SRS  
Assumptions: 

- Distributed heater control software running in NCS
- PMA 3 Heaters are Inhibited

  
Definitions: 

- A heater which is Enabled to Operate is being controlled in closed loop fashion by an MDM. The MDM monitors shell temperature and opens/closes heater RPCs as required to maintain the temperature setpoints.
- A heater which is Enabled to Backup will monitor temperature data only, it will not cycle on and off. It will automatically cycle to Enable to Operate if the Failure Lower Limit of its associated temperature sensor is violated.
- A heater which is Inhibited is not under closed loop control. Temperature sensor data is available to the crew/ground but heater FDIR is not active.

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-- FUNCTIONAL SECTION --  
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1. If the all PMA 3 zones are below their failure lower limit setpoints, the expected temperature situation, this procedure will check proper heater functionality. If not, MCC-H will either wait for the temperatures to fall below the FLL setpoints or devise an alternate procedure. 3B Heaters will be set to "Enable to Operate." This state activates closed loop control (CLC) and FDIR routines for the heaters. As heater is set to the "Enable to Operate" state, the CLC will check the temperature for each heater and compare it to the upper setpoint (upper setpoints are slightly different, but all close to 21 deg C (70 deg F). If the temperature is below the upper setpoint, the heater RPC will be commanded closed. The FDIR routines trigger based on temperature, so if the temperature is below the Failure Lower Limit setpoint, the

attention symbol will appear and the PMA 3 Heater[X]B message will annunciate. Two of the A heaters will be placed in the 'Enable to Backup" state, the FDIR routine will immediately declare a failure (based on the same low temperature that drove the attention symbol and advisory for the B heaters) and cycle them to "Enable to Operate." MCC-H will track the shell temperatures to ascertain heater functionality.

2. After MCC-H has sufficient time to watch the shell temperatures rise (based on heater output), the PMA3 heaters will be deactivated.